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ISLAND POND, VERMONT, FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 16, 1917

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Grand Trunk Railway System

TIME TABLE

Taking Effect Sunday, January 14, 1917

Eastern Lines, Montreal Division.
Eastern Standard Time.

Portland and Island Pond Subdivision

WESTBOUND TRAINS

Arrive at Island Pond.

Train No. 5, Mail and Express, 10:00 p. m., daily.

Train No. 13, Express, 1:20 p. m., daily.

EASTBOUND TRAINS

Leave Island Pond.

Train No. 4, Mail and Express, 5:00 a. m., daily.

Train No. 16, Express, 1:30 p. m., daily.

Island Pond and Richmond Subdivision

WESTBOUND TRAINS

Leave Island Pond.

Train No. 13, Express, 1:30 p. m., daily.

Train No. 11, Mail and Express, 6:30 a. m., daily.

EASTBOUND TRAINS

Arrive at Island Pond.

Train No. 16, Express, 1:25 p. m., daily.

Train No. 12, Mail and Express, 10:10 p. m., daily.

W. A. GLEESON, Station Agent.

Post Office, Island Pond, Vt.

Office hours, 5.30 a.m. to 9.00 p.m.

Office hours, Sundays, 9.00 a.m. to 10.00 a.m., and 1.00 p.m. to 2.00 p.m.

Drop box open all night.

MAILS ARRIVE.

From Newport and points south and west of Newport, 1.20 p.m.

From Newport, West Derby, Derby, West and East Charleston, 7.30 p.m.

From Morgan and Morgan Center, 1.15 p.m.

From points in Province Quebec, Ontario and Western Canada, 1.25 p.m., and 10.10 p.m.

From Norton Mills, Wallis Pond, Averill, and Lake, 10.10 p.m.

From all local points, Portland to Groveton, 1.20 p.m. and 10.00 p.m.

From Lancaster, Littleton, White field, and points on Boston & Maine south of Groveton, 1.20 p.m., and 10.00 p.m.

From North Stratford, Groveton, Berlin, Gorham, and all points south and east, 1.20 p.m. and 10.00 p.m.

From Beecher Falls, Canaan, Colebrook, 1.20 and 10 p.m.

MAILS CLOSE.

For Newport, Derby, Derby Line, North and West Derby and Beebe, Plain, 1.00 p.m.

For Newport, West Derby, Derby, East Charleston and West Charleston, 5.45 a.m.

For Lake, Norton Mills, Averill and Wallis Pond, 6.00 a.m.

For Morgan, and Morgan Center, 6.00 a. m.

For Beecher Falls, Canaan, and all points on upper Maine Central Railroad, 1.00 p.m. and 4.30 a.m.

For Lancaster, Littleton, White field, and points on Boston & Maine Railroad, south of Groveton, 1.00 p.m. and 4.30 a.m.

For local points, Island Pond to Portland, 1.00 p.m. and 4.30 a.m.

For local points, Groveton to Portland, 1.00 p.m. and 4.30 a.m.

For Berlin, Gorham, and all points south and east, 1.00 p.m., 4.30 a.m.

Rural Delivery carrier arrives 1.30 p.m.

Rural Delivery mails close 6.15 a.m. Except Sunday.

SUNDAY.

MAILS ARRIVE

From all points south and east, 1.20 p.m. and 10.00 p.m.

MAILS CLOSE

For all points south and east, 4.30 a.m.

D. P. MACKENZIE, Postmaster.

DEATH OF BLIND CHAPLAIN

Rev. M. W. Farman the Blind Chaplain of the Vermont Senate Dies from Shock.

Montpelier, Feb. 15—Rev. M. W. Farman, the blind chaplain of the Senate, was stricken with a shock while speaking at a banquet at the Pavilion last night and died this morning. The body will be taken to Westfield where the funeral will be held Saturday.

BUSINESS MEN MEET

A Special Meeting of the Business Men's Association Consider Public Library Proposition and Elect Officers.

A special meeting of the Business Men's association was held at the town clerk's office Friday afternoon, February 9, to consider a public library proposition in which Mr. Oliver Cabana is interested. The following business was transacted:

The meeting was called to order by secretary W. F. Morong, in absence of J. S. Sweeney, president, and L. B. Jones was elected chairman.

The chair suggested two committees be appointed, one on sites and the other on plans and specifications. This was carried and the following committees appointed: Sites, H. H. Hobson, E. M. Bartlett, Fred Paquette; specifications, A. W. Bosworth, L. A. Cobb, W. A. Gleason. It was voted that the Business Men's association stand behind the expenses incidental to the work of these committees.

Then followed the election of officers of the association: President, L. B. Jones; vice president, A. W. Bosworth; secretary, W. F. Morong; treasurer, C. P. Streete.

Executive committee, L. A. Cobb, D. Stern, Fred Paquette. Manufacturing committee, A. J. Parent, H. B. Amey, C. E. Johnson. Municipal committee, H. E. Randall, G. L. Dyer, H. E. Sargent. Mercantile committee, C. R. Powell, H. H. Hobson, John Carroll. Village improvement committee, F. E. Russell, H. B. Farmer, W. A. Gleason.

1ST ANNUAL VOTING CONTEST

Big Prizes for Boys and Girls

The bright boys and girls in this paper's field deserve recognition and they can earn valuable prizes with little effort.

The one who collects and sends in the most little votes up to May 1st will be given a fine Gold Watch.

The second a Camera of high grade, one you will take much pleasure with.

The third will be given a bank deposit book with a good sum entered therein, depending on the work done.

There will be other valuable prizes announced later, if there are enough vote collectors in the competition to warrant it.

Watch for the first ballots that are printed on page four this week.

If there is some one you would like to work for, your sister or some friend who would like to win one of the prizes, send in their names.

Write us for special information "How to Win" in this contest.

Till school closes you can collect these little votes Saturdays.

Cold Wave.

This section has been in the grip of a cold wave for the past week that surely is a record breaker. Friday, Saturday, Sunday, and Mon-

BASKET BALL

I. P. H. S. Lost to Gorham High at Berlin and Miniheca Camp Fire Wins from Owaska Camp Fire.

Island Pond High school basketball team played a return game with Gorham High at Berlin Friday night, Feb. 9th.

Friday afternoon the basketball team took the train for Berlin firmly resolved to give Gorham a second defeat. Evidently Gorham boarded their train with a similar resolve and having less distance to go were better enabled to conserve their energy for the evening's encounter. Gorham won by a score of 28 to 23. The game was fast, clean, and intensely interesting.

This was an excellent trip and greatly enjoyed by all. Berlin has a wonderful Y. M. C. A., offering every form of hospitality to its visitors. Mr. Saunders remarked that he had great difficulty in convincing the team that it was time to leave the pool and allow the director to lock up for the night.

The line-up follows:

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| GORHAM | ISLAND POND |
| Schandler, c | Roby, c |
| Leavitt; Gorham, rf | Stevens, rf |
| K. Gillis, lf | Rooney, lf |
| M. Gillis, rg | Elliot, rg |
| Estabrook, lg | Mosher, lg |

Goals from floor: Roby 2, Stevens 5, Rooney 2; Schandler 3, Leavitt 5, K. Gillis 2, M. Gillis 2, Estabrook 2. Goals from fouls, Stevens 5. Referee, Atwood. Timekeeper, Mumpser. Scorer, Saunders. Score, 28-23, in favor of Gorham.

The Miniheca and Owaska Camp Fires played basket ball last Saturday night, the former winning by a score of 36 to 16.

The line-up follows:

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| MINIHECA | OWASKA |
| Pauline Parlin, c | Mabel Osborne, c |
| Geraldine Chesney, rf | Vera Cota, rf |
| Olive Annis, lf | Hortense Mackay, lf |
| Doris Foster, rg | Thelma Dickson, rg |
| Marian Currier, lg | Ruth Foster, lg |

Baskets from the floor: Pauline Parlin 3, Olive Annis 9, Geraldine Chesney, 5; Mabel Osborne 1, Vera Cota 4, Hortense Mackay 2. Baskets from fouls: Olive Annis 1, Geraldine Chesney 1; Vera Cota 2. Referee, Mr. Saunders. Scorer, Miss Fullington. Timekeeper, Miss Haley.

FEBRUARY MEETING

Of W. C. T. U. Discusses Vital Questions on Community Betterment.

The W. C. T. U. met with Mrs. H. E. Randall, Friday the 9th, with nine members and nine guests present. Meeting opened with the president in chair and the following program was carried out:

Topic—Cleanliness.

Roll Call—How can I make Island Pond a clean town?

Paper—Influence of environment.

Mrs. Paul Saunders Habit-forming years and how to use them.

Rev. O. E. Barnard Reading—Ezekiel Pratt.

Mrs. Howes Reading—The Probationers and the Pennant.

Miss Fullington After partaking of delicious refreshments served by the hostess, and enjoying a social hour together the meeting was adjourned, to meet next month with Mrs. Bartlett.

dry the fierce northwesterly winds and the penetrating cold made business almost at a standstill. The extreme of this cold wave came Tuesday morning with the thermometer registering all the way from 24 to 38 and 40 degrees below zero. The extreme cold broke Tuesday afternoon and milder winter weather maintains at present. Winter, however, is a fickle jale, and there is no knowing what will follow ere the balmy days of spring come. The railroads have been hard hit by this cold weather and it has been almost impossible to keep the service open. Tuesday, the mail and express from Portland due here at 1.20 p.m. did not arrive until nine p.m.

Y. M. C. A. SECRETARIES

Conference of Eastern Section Grand Trunk Railway Held in Y. M. C. A. Building Feb. 1st.

The conference of Y. M. C. A. secretaries in the eastern section of the Grand Trunk railway was held at the Y. M. C. A. building, Island Pond, February 1 with forenoon and afternoon sessions.

Aside from the assigned program helpful discussions on community activities were led by Mr. Arthur Patterson of Montreal and Mr. Byron N. Clark of Burlington; Mr. J. M. Dudley of Montreal presided.

At seven o'clock in the evening a banquet was served by the "30,000 Club" to the conference visitors and members of the Association. Following this A. H. Nourse, vice president of the local Y. M. C. A., introduced Mr. J. M. Dudley as chairman for the evening, in the absence of F. E. Boyce, colonel of the Club who was called by telegram to attend a railroad wreck. After introductory remarks the chairman introduced Mr. Arthur Patterson of Montreal who gave a stirring address on the ideal relationship between the adult and the youth in the home and in the community. The following gentlemen responded with brief and appropriate speeches: Rev. O. E. Barnard, Mr. B. N. Clark, W. R. Mercer, C. M. Harding, W. A. Gleason, Wm. Olson, C. S. Foster.

This is the first meeting of the Grand Trunk system conference at Island Pond and was most successful, showing our men to be good hosts in every sense and the visitors will be glad to return.

Naval Recruiting Station in Vermont.

There are three Navy Recruiting Stations in the state of Vermont, as follows:

Room 213, Postoffice Building, Burlington, Vt.

51½ Merchants Row, Rutland, Vt.

7 Union Block, State St., Montpelier, Vt.

Any person can obtain any information at any time by calling or writing to any of these stations.

In return for the service rendered his country, the man who enters the Navy, receives many benefits in an active and profitable life with an ever changing scene of activity.

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Kingsbury and Wellington Pianos—Guaranteed and from Local Dealers—You Know Their Value.

Judged from the sales of these popular pianos and what purchasers say of them, they are the ones giving satisfaction, and are easily what is claimed for them the "best value for the money."

We believe in being loyal to home merchants and have selected these pianos from Bailey's Music Rooms, Lancaster, who will give the winners the same service as they would receive did they personally make the purchase of them.

These prizes will be worth winning and remain a source of pleasure in your home for they are reliable and guaranteed by those who are well known for putting out only reliable goods. Cheaper pianos could be secured but the HERALD desires the winners of these grand prizes to receive the best—something they will always enjoy.

In coming issues we will tell you about the pianos. Ask anyone who has one, about them.

If you have not entered the contest—"do it now." It may be your last chance to get a \$350 piano for a little easy, pleasant work.

PROBATE NOTICE

Regular sessions of the Probate Court for the district of Essex will be held at Guildhall on the first Wednesday of each month, in the forenoon.

At Island Pond, the first Wednesday of January, April, July and October, in the afternoon.

At Lunenburg, the second Wednesday of January, April, July and October, in the forenoon.

At Concord in the afternoon of the same days.

Special sessions will be held by arrangement.

Communications should be sent to Edwin O. Carll, Judge, Canaan, or to George A. Hubbard, Register, Guildhall.

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House Furnishers

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